

BREAKERS AHEAD OF AFT PROGRAM

Various Developments Conspire to Jeopardize President's Pet Bills.

ROOT AMENDMENT CAUSES CONTENTION

May Be Fatal to Postal Bank Measure—Listlessness Is Manifested.

Within the last few days the opinion has gained ground about the Capitol that the legislative program which the President has been urging for this session of Congress is likely to fall by the wayside.

The outlook for the passage of the several important measures which the President has been told by the leaders would be put through is not as good today as it was a few weeks ago. Various causes have conspired to bring this situation about.

As things stand now, the postal savings bank bill is in danger of being beaten or blocked at this session; the railroad bill is by no means out of the woods. It is uncertain whether there will be any conservation legislation.

National incorporation legislation, it is agreed on all hands, has no longer any chance this session. As for ship subsidy legislation, the House leaders fear to attempt to force the subsidy measure through, lest it be beaten.

President Abandons Hope.

The Senate Judiciary Committee took up the national incorporation bill the other day, and decided that when it was considered it would be by the full committee, and not by the subcommittee. The disposition was to fix no time for its consideration, and it is taken for granted that it will be taken up by the committee, if at all, too late for anything to be done with it finally. Nor does the President expect any action this session, as he made clear in his New York speech.

So far as the postal savings bank measure is concerned, the proposed Root amendment, which Senator Aldrich is supposed to favor, and which President Taft has come out in advocacy of, to have the fund deposited in the postal banks, invested in 2 per cent Government bonds, is likely to prove the bone of contention that will be fatal to the bill.

Listlessness Is Apparent.

Lately there have been mutterings to the effect the Administration railroad bill may be sidetracked. About this, as well as about most of the legislation before Congress, there hangs a strange listlessness.

As for the House Committee on Interstate Commerce, it has ahead of it a long list of hearings on this bill. The Senate committee is about at the end of its hearings, but it has not undertaken yet to report on the bill in the form in which it will be reported to the Senate, though it is asserted by some of the Senate leaders the bill will come out just as it stands. However, an attempt to report it as it stands will be strongly opposed in the committee.

About the only legislation that is being pushed along in Congress is the appropriation measures. With them good progress is being made. Once the appropriation bills are out of the way the clamor for adjournment will rise high.

Insurgents Scent Scheme.

Among the insurgents there is much talk to the effect that the regular leaders are hatching up a scheme to put through the appropriation bills and then try to rush through House and Senate in the latter days of the session a lot of legislation which the insurgents consider as it now stands in the shape of bills is defective.

A lot of talk is going the rounds about harmony in Congress and all hands getting together for a concerted effort to do things. As a matter of fact, the lines of cleavage are in some respects more sharply drawn than ever.

While legislative progress is slow, there are merry times ahead in Congress, to say nothing of a lot of sizzling hot politics coming next summer and fall.

ANACOSTIA CHURCH IS SEEKING PASTOR

The members of the official board of the Anacostia Methodist Episcopal Church have designated a committee to canvass the field with reference to the naming of a new pastor to succeed the Rev. William E. Bird, whose transfer to another charge at the close of the present conference year is expected.

This committee comprises Arthur R. Galt, George O. Walton, Charles F. Linger, James T. Harrison, and Samuel R. Campbell.

Mr. Bird, whose looked-for transfer was discussed at the late meeting of the fourth quarterly conference of the church, has been the pastor of Anacostia Church for the last year.

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If this appeals to you send your contribution at once to the joint finance committee of the Associated Charities.

(Signed)

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CEREMONIES MARK QUADRUPLE EVENT

Hundredth Birthday and Marriage
of Great-Granddaughter

Come Together.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 16.—One of the most interesting celebrations is being ended today, when guests who came to attend a quadruple family fete are turning homeward. The events included the one hundredth birthday celebration of Mrs. Rachael Freedman, the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of her granddaughter, Mrs. Louis Richter; the fifth wedding anniversary of her great-granddaughter, Mrs. Benjamin Bodick; and the marriage of a great-granddaughter, Miss May Richter, to Paul M. Baileman, of Washington, D. C. The musicians present attended the wedding of Mrs. Richter twenty-five years ago, and that of Mrs. Bodick five years ago.

Five generations in the Freedman family were present. Guests at the celebration were from Washington, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Norfolk, and New York.

ROCKEFELLER HELPS TO BUILD CHURCH

Will Give Quarter Million to
Complete Building in
New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—An impression prevails among members of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church that John D. Rockefeller will contribute half of the money necessary to build the new edifice which has been planned. It is estimated that the building will cost about \$500,000. It was said several months ago that while Mr. Rockefeller finds its contentment in any active interest in the plans he was ready to donate half of the sum the members decided to spend.

There is no likelihood now that the present structure will be razed until after June 1. So far no place of worship has been selected to serve during the time the new church is being built. Members are anxious to get some place near the present location.

Mr. Rockefeller left for Georgia several weeks ago, to remain there until May. Mr. Rockefeller did not accompany him, and it was said yesterday that she would remain in town all year, not even going to Pocantico Hills or to Cleveland.

CHARITY MANAGERS MAKE INVESTIGATION

Probing Cause of Conditions of Poor in Washington.

Why have the demands upon charity greatly increased in Washington during the past year, this increase attested by a corresponding decrease in the savings of the poor?

This is the question which the board of managers of the Associated Charities is asking itself.

The Citizens' Relief Association has expended this year \$1,256 for food, fuel, clothing, and sick diet, as against \$730 for last year. Since the first of last October the disbursements of the Citizens' Relief Association have been \$3,235, as compared with \$2,061 for the corresponding period a year ago. The amount disbursed from the Golden Book funds of the Associated Charities, including the special school clothing fund, show similar increases.

Question of Relief.
This decided increase in the amount of material relief given during the present year, as compared with that required last year, was one of the chief questions considered at the meeting of the board of managers of the Associated Charities held yesterday afternoon.

The reasons given by the field workers of the Associated Charities for these increased demands are high cost of living, the early setting in of winter, the extended duration of the cold, throwing many unskilled laborers out of work, and the usual amount of winter illness and dependence resulting therefrom.

As might be expected, this demand for additional relief finds its contentment in the smaller amounts put by in small savings through the Provident Savings

system of the Associated Charities. Last month, for example, \$74 was reported by volunteer workers as collected in small savings from the poor, as compared with \$1,025 in January, 1909.

Edson's Report.

The report of the treasurer, John Joy Edson, showed a cash on hand January 31, of \$3,876.41.

The report of the general secretary showed 902 families dealt with in January.

The joint finance committee, A. Lisner, chairman, reported that 1,114 persons had thus far responded to the appeals in behalf of the Associated Charities and Citizens' Relief Association. The committee reported that a little more than half the sums required for these organizations have been received up to date. The unusual amount of work involved as shown by the reports of the society's visitors, made necessary strenuous efforts on the part of the committee to complete the budgets of these two organizations at the earliest possible moment.

Those present at the meeting were Justice David J. Brewer, president; John Joy Edson, treasurer; Rev. J. H. Bradford, vice president; Prof. E. T. Janney, chairman of the board; Mrs. Charles W. Richardson, Miss Helen Nicolay, Miss Florence P. Spofford, Ernest P. Bicknell, Judge William H. DeLacy, Philip Herrmann, Dr. George M. Kober, Dr. William C. Rives, Mr. Frederick L. Sidgwick, Rev. John Van Schaick, Jr., and George S. Wilson.

NATIONAL UNION TO SEEK MEMBERS

The District members of the National Union have decided to conduct a campaign for 500 new members for the organization during the coming year. The preliminary steps were taken last evening at a banquet given by Potomac Council to the members of the two teams obtaining the most new members during the last year.

There was much rivalry between the teams, and when the results were made known it was found that one team had secured sixty-two members, and the other sixty-two. The winning team was captained by A. E. Thomas, and Y. D. Harbough had charge of the losers.

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Millions of people throughout America have breathed Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-mei) and now own a Hyomei pocket Inhaler made of hard rubber.

If you own a Hyomei Inhaler, no matter where you live, you can get a bottle of Hyomei at druggists everywhere and at Henry Evans for only 50c.

Ask for an extra bottle of Hyomei Inhaler; the price is only 50c, and with it you can cure a cough or a cold in a day. You can get relief from catarrh or stuffed up head in two minutes and stop hawking, and snuffling in a week.

Just pour a few drops of Hyomei into the Inhaler and breathe it in—that's all. It's so easy and so pleasant. Just breathe Hyomei over the inflamed membrane of the nose and throat, and its soothing, healing action will be felt immediately.

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Floor Coverings

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Linoleum—Rugs—Carpets—Door Mats.

Note these prices—the greatest bargains of the year. The broken lots must go, and we have priced them accordingly.

One lot Printed Linoleums; sizes 3x3 ft. regular price 60c; special, 25c each.

One lot Inlaid Linoleums; size 3x3 ft. Regular price, \$1.25. Sale price, 50c.

One lot Inlaid Linoleum samples; size 3x4 ft. 6 in. Regular price, \$1.50. Sale price, 60c.

One lot Inlaid Linoleums; size 3x6 ft. Regularly \$3.00. Sale price, \$1.25.

600 yds. remnant Inlaid and Printed Linoleum; from 3 to 10 yds.; to be sold at less than cost prices, from 25c yd. up to 75c yd.

Rubber Door Mats; 18x30 in. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price, 79c.

One lot Rubber Cuspidore Mats. Reg. price 50c. Sale price, 19c.

One lot of LEATHER DOOR MATS, flexible fold-up.

Size 16x30. Reg. \$1.25. Sale price 39c.

Size 20x34. Reg. \$1.40. Sale price 59c.

Size 23x40. Reg. \$1.80. Sale price 79c.

One lot of Children's Hassocks. 15c.

One lot of large size Hassocks. 25c.

Reg. 50c. Sale price, each.

4 Granite Art Squares, 7.6x9. Reg. price \$3.50. Sale price, \$1.65.

3 Granite Art Squares, 9x10. Reg. price \$4.50. Sale price, \$2.25.

1 lot of Napier Matting samples; make good door mats; worth \$1.00 each. Sale price, each, 29c.

1 lot Cocoa Matting Samples; some with rubber ends; worth \$1.50 each. Sale price, each, 59c.

1,000 sample lengths of Wilton, Axminster, Velvet, Brussels and Ingrains; grades of carpet that sold at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00 yard; in lengths from 1, 1 1/2 and 2 yds.

Lot No. 1.	25c each
Lot No. 2.	35c each
Lot No. 3.	45c each
Lot No. 4.	65c each
Lot No. 5.	75c each
Lot No. 6.	85c each
Lot No. 7.	\$1.00 each
Lot No. 8.	\$1.10 each
Lot No. 9.	\$1.25 each
Lot No. 10.	\$1.35 each
Lot No. 11.	\$1.45 each

Rug Bargains

Broken lots after stock taking; some slightly soiled.

One lot of all wool Kensington Art Rugs, suitable for bedrooms, dining rooms, libraries and parlors, in a variety of pretty patterns:

5 Kens. Art Rugs, 7.6x9 ft.	\$6.25	\$3.90
4 Kens. Art Rugs, 7.6x12 ft.	\$8.25	\$5.50
12 Kens. Art Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$8.50	\$4.95
13 Kens. Art Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$10.00	\$6.50
11 Kens. Art Rugs, 10.6x12 ft.	\$11.50	\$7.95
2 Kens. Art Rugs, 9x15 ft.	\$12.50	\$8.75
15 Kens. Art Rugs, 12x12 ft.	\$13.50	\$8.65
14 Kens. Art Rugs, 12x13.6 ft.	\$15.00	\$9.75
18 Kens. Art Rugs, 12x15 ft.	\$18.00	\$11.75

One lot of Agra Art Rugs; some slightly soiled; a good variety; guaranteed wool rugs; pretty Rugs for any room in the house.

5 Agra Art Rugs, 7.6x9 ft.	\$8.50	\$5.25
3 Agra Art Rugs, 9x10.6 ft.	\$12.50	\$6.95
1 Agra Art Rug, 9x10 ft.	\$9.00	\$6.50
9 Agra Art Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$13.50	\$8.50
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MAGNETIC SURVEY MADE OF ATLANTIC

Reports May Have Important Effect on Marine Charts.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 16.—The little non-magnetic vessel Carnegie, which was sent out to treat a gunshot wound of the stomach in a Canadian voyage—Alexis St. Martin. When the vessel reached New Haven yesterday, after an 8,000-mile voyage, the Carnegie surveyed Long Island sound, the Atlantic ocean across to the English coast, as well as working in the waters near Madeira and Bermuda, the last point touched before sailing for the United States.

Commander W. J. Peters, in charge of the vessel, stated that the cruise had been authorized by the Navy department, and that the reports of the scientific men on board will likely have an important effect on all magnetic charts for marine uses.

Commander Peters reported that the Carnegie encountered a terrific storm en route from Bermuda to New Haven, causing her to be eleven days overdue in this port. The seventh day out from Bermuda the officers believed the ship would sink. The skill of the crew saved her.

TO REPAIR CHURCH.

The members of the official board of the Anacostia Methodist Episcopal Church have been authorized to make repairs to the interior of the edifice at a cost not to exceed \$50.

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